

THE DAILY EMPIRE.

Wonderful Dream.

Everybody has heard wonderful stories of dreams that came true, resulting in marvelous discoveries of wealth, revelations of crime, and mysterious information of various sorts. Skeptical people are at liberty to believe, of course, what they please, but the following story comes to us as well authenticated, and the like is, we think, quite original. The dreamer was a gentleman residing in one of the row of houses in a street in a neighboring city. To mention names might be unpleasant. He dreamed one night that he had discovered at his house a hidden closet, which was stored with silver and other valuables sufficient to set him up in the world as a man of wealth. In the morning he told his wife, who, like a sensible woman, asked him what he had eaten before he went to bed, and warned him of the effects of late suppers.

The next night he went to bed as usual, when lo! the same dream was repeated. To doubt any longer would be to fly in the face of fortune that was opening the portals of wealth to the happy dreamer. He resolved upon an exploration. Modern built houses, put up in a row for speculation, to sell or rent, do not prevent any architectural intricacies where a closet might be stowed away unperceived; the lines are rectangular, and every inch of space saved. The hidden closet with the treasure must be somewhere in the walls. With a hammer the dreamer went about the house, sounding the walls, for indications of the concealed receptacle. At last his search was rewarded. A blow struck on the wall brought forth a metallic jingle in response. He struck again, and the same musical echo came forth. Bewildering visions of wealth arose before the delighted searcher. He called his wife to behold the realization of his dream.

Two or three vigorous blows brought down the plaster from the walls, broke through the lath, and revealed an aperture through which Mr. — thrust his hand, and brought forth a handful of spoons and forks! Mrs. — now suggested that they had better proceed cautiously, and keep their good fortune quiet. The hole in the wall was covered up, and the happy couple retired to discuss their fortune. In a few minutes they were startled by a violent ring at the front door bell. Mr. — responded to the summons, and found on the step his next door neighbor, in a state of intense excitement.

"Are you the proprietor of this house?" asked the visitor.

"I am," said Mr. —.

"Then sir, allow me to tell you that there is a robber in your house, who has been committing burglary on my premises by breaking through your wall into a closet and stealing my silverware."

Mr. —'s countenance underwent an extraordinary change of expression as the truth flashed upon him. He rushed up stairs to take a closer inspection of his secret closet, when the true state of the case was disclosed. The houses were separated by a partition wall, and Mr. — had realized his dream by breaking into his neighbor's premises, and "stolen silver" in the store-room next door. A full explanation had to be made to satisfy the injured neighbor. The spoons were restored, the wall repaired, and the strictest secrecy enjoined and promised, but the joke was too good to keep, and we publish it as a caution to people addicted to dreaming.

A Wife's Revenge—A Caution to Actors.

From the Lancashire Herald.

A rather ludicrous incident at the Metropolitan, one night last week, afforded a good deal of amusement to those who are familiar with the relations which the parties bear to each other. Mr. —, one of the actors, had been on bad terms with his wife for some time, never speaking to her except on the stage. Some time last fall a divorce was obtained by an adjoining county, by some soft or slick-dogger, though the fact is not generally known. Mr. — was doing farce to Mr. Barrett's Hamlet, and the divorced wife was a page in the same play. Laure was killed in the fire, and fell magnificently, the page in her arms, catching her in her arms. She cast him down gently, within two feet of the floor, when suddenly withdrawing her affectionate support, the head of the dead Laertes came in contact with the boards with a "clang," which undoubtedly caused him to see a constellation of stars. A vischian smile stole over the features of the fair page, while an audible titter ran through the audience. Being dead, Laertes could not, of course, resent the indignity, but it is fair to presume that the malicious page maintained a wholesome seclusion after the resurrection.

Scotch Enterprise.—The Frederickburg Herald learns that Dr. John R. Taylor, of Caroline county, Virginia, has leased his fine estate in that county for the term of ten years, to a Scotch gentleman by the name of Black. There are probably about 2,000 acres in the farm. It is said that Dr. Taylor is to receive \$3,000 a year for the first three years and \$5,000 per annum for the succeeding seven years. Mr. Black designs returning to Scotland at an early day, and will bring over with him a colony of emigrants, embracing in the number the sons of large farmers, who will have something wherein to purchase and improve.

Small Farm One Mile from Main Street.

S. A. MASTERS' COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Joseph Lambert, No. 2208 Montgomery County Superior Court.

For want of an order of the Superior Court of Montgomery county, Ohio, made in the above entitled cause, and to satisfy the judgment, it is ordered that the same be sold at public auction on the 2d day of June, 1863, at the office of the Clerk of the County and State of Ohio, Dayton, in the County and State aforesaid.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6th, 1863.

Between the hours of one and one o'clock, P.M., of said day, the following described real estate, to-wit, all that tract of land in the City of Dayton, Ohio, in Section 4, Town 2, Range 1, East, beginning at the S. W. corner of Wm. Brown's lot 10 and section and running thence 57 rods and 30 links to the corner of New Creek, thence down the channel of New Creek, thence along the river bank to the corner of E. 2d and New Creek, thence 8 rods and 50 links to a point 12 chains and 50 links south of Weddy's lot; thence parallel with the east and west line, the section line, thence N. to the corner of E. 2d and New Creek, containing two and one-half acres.

Also a part of the same tract on beginning at the S. E. corner of the above described tract; thence along the east line thereof to the north line of said tract, thence east for 40 feet, thence parallel with the north line to the south line of said tract in one acre; the west line to the place of beginning containing five acres.

Said land has been appraised at \$75 per acre and cannot sell for less than two-thirds of said appraisement.

Terms of sale, cash.

W. H. BELVILLE,
Master Commissioner Montgomery Superior Court.
No. 2208

SAMUEL KUEHN'S ESTATE.—ON THE 20th DAY of November, 1862, the undersigned was appointed Administrator of the estate of Samuel Kuehn, late of Montgomery County, Ohio, deceased.

JOSEPH LAMBERT, Esq.

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